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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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	AN ELECTRONIC TI	ME STAMP	

To the Commissioner for Patents:

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## **AMENDMENT**

## Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed May 19, 2005, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.